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TAGS: APER, SNAR, UN
SUBJECT: UN PERSONNEL: DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION OF
NARCOTIC DRUGS - GENEVA

1. NORWEGIAN DEPUTY PERMREP VRAALSEN CALLED ON AMBASSADOR
LEONARD AND REQUESTED USG SUPPORT FOR THE CANDIDACY OF
OLAV BRAENDEN AS DIRECTOR OF THE UN DIVISION OF NARCOTIC
DRUGS TO SUCCEED GEORGE LING (CANADA) WHO WILL RETIRE
SHORTLY. BRAENDEN IS PRESENTLY D-1 CHIEF OF THE NARCOTICS
LABORATORY.

2. VRAALSEN NOTED THAT BRAENDEN HAD BEEN PROPOSED FOR
DIRECTOR OF THE NARCOTIC DRUGS DIVISION WHEN LING HAD
BEEN CHOSEN AND HIS QUALIFICATIONS SHOULD BE KNOWN TO THE
US. VRAALSEN STRESSED THAT NORWAY WAS VERY SUPPORTIVE
OF UN NARCOTIC EFFORTS WHICH WERE ALSO OF MAJOR IMPORTANCE
TO THE US.

3. AMBASSADOR LEONARD THANKED THE NORWEGIAN DEPUTY
PERMREP FOR ADVISING THE US OF HIS GOVERNMENT'S VIEWS
AND PROMISED TO INFORM THE DEPARTMENT ACCORDINGLY.
SINCE THE DIVISION OF NARCOTIC DRUGS IS OF SPECIAL CONCERN
TO THE US, THE DEPARTMENT MAY WISH TO PROVIDE THE US
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MISSION IN GENEVA WITH APPROPRIATE VIEWS RE BRAENDEN
CANDIDACY FOR THE POST OF DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION OF
NARCOTIC DRUGS.
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